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Mewember 2, 1962

S/S - Mr. Brubeck

According to S/P copies for the Secretary and G-Mr. Johnson were taken to the White House and given to them at the Executive Committee meeting. The Under Secretary has also received a copy.

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November 2, 1962

TO: ARA - Mr. Flwin Mertin

FROM: S/P - W. W. Rostow

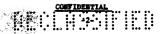
SUBJECT: Statement by the President.

If the President should speak on the nature of our non-invesion commitment, my suggestion is this.

In addition to his references to our OAS commitments and to his September 13 press conference, he should add a pessage which either quotes from or makes reference to the January 34, 1962, address by Manuel Tello at the Funts del Este Conference. Newico City 1469 of November 1 which indicates that Maxico is sticking with this line. The most relevant pessages are those marked in red on pages 7 and 8.

The President might say something like the following, following upon his statement about invasion:

"This is the nature of our commitment about the use of force against the present government of Cube: but I should like to add a word. From the very beginnings of the common life of the states in this Hemisphere, our ties have transcended ties of mutual security. As the distinguished Foreign Minister of Mandas printed out last January at the Punta del Fote Contempe, Bolivar, who initiated the concept of a preferal organization in the Hemisphere founded upon the distinction between the democratic creed and the concept of absolute monarchy. He went on to say: 'Today we rather oppose democracy to totalitarization, but the conceptual contents is one and the same It therefore appears unquestionable that there is radical impospatibility, hetween belonging to the Organisation of Jacrican States and a Merxist-Leninist political avowal: ... There is no question but that



we in this Hemisphere look forward to the ending in Cuba of the regime which violates the fundamental human rights of the Cuban people, as those rights are understood in the deeply rooted democratic tradition which the nations of this Hemisphere hold in common."

Copy to:

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